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Past Nashville Businessman Buried Saturday

Services for Ray I. Thompson, 70, were held Saturday at 2 p.m. at the Vogt Funeral Home in Nashville.

Mr. Thompson, former businessman, died Wednesday, June 29, at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Battle Creek where he had been a patient 16 years.

From 1934 to 1950 Mr. Thompson owned and operated a grocery store, moving to Nashville from Chester. For a time Mrs. Thompson operated the Chester store and he the Nashville store.

A former president of the Nashville Lions Club, Mr. Thompson served two years on the Nashville Village Council, was a member of the Masonic Order, chairman of the Youth Council, World War I veteran serving overseas, and a member of the Nashville Methodist Church.

He was born at Tufton, a son of Andrew and Julia (Schuck) Thompson, on Nov. 23, 1895. On Sept. 10, 1919, he was married in Charlotte to Beulah Haigh.

Survivors include his wife, who resides at 201 Phillips Street; two daughters, Mrs. Victor (Elaine) Higdon of Nashville and Mrs. Victor (Janice) Walton of Bellaire, Md.; three grandchildren; one great grandchild; two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Brody of LeRoy and Mrs. Sadie Bonham of McBaine, and three brothers, Lee of Riverside, Calif., Glenn of Yuma, Colo., and Joy of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

The Rev. Max Gladding officiated at Saturday's services, and burial was in Lakeview Cemetery.

Hortense E. Martin

CHARLOTTE—Mrs. Hortense E. Martin, 85, Chester Township, Eaton County, died Friday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Russell Upright, Chester Township.

A lifelong area resident, Mrs. Martin was a member of Royal Neighbors Lodge.

Surviving besides her daughter are seven grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren. The body is at the Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Retired Deputy, Ray Freeman Dies Thursday

Ray C. Freeman of 840 Gregg St., Nashville, died at his home Thursday, June 30.

He was a retired Barry County deputy sheriff and had also been a member of the Hastings City Police department.

Born Dec. 21, 1882, in Baltimore township, he was a son of James and Lucinda (Myers) Freeman. He was married to Esther Ormsbe in 1905. She died in 1909. July 28, 1931, he was married in Angola, Ind., to Mrs. Nevah Flory.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Floyd (Esther) Arnold of San Jose, Calif., and Mrs. Ray (Hilda) Lowe of Sacramento, Calif.; a stepson, Glendon Flory, of Mulliken; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Bernita Gardner of Vermontville; a brother, Eugene Freeman, of Hastings; a sister, Mrs. Florence Rose of Battle Creek; 12 grandchildren, and 13 great grandchildren.

Services were held Sunday at 2 p.m. from the Vogt Funeral Home in Nashville with the Rev. Max Gladding officiating. Burial was in the Dowling cemetery.

	For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1958
7,979.00	
1,480.00	
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2,159.00	
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72,420.00	
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Grace M. Baker

CHARLOTTE—Mrs. Grace M. Baker, 84, lifelong Eaton Rapids resident, died Thursday in an Eaton Rapids nursing home. She had been a patient for the past two months.

Mrs. Baker, whose home is at N. Clinton Street, was survived by two brothers, William and Pearl Rogers, both of Charlotte.

Also surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Satterly and Mrs. James Ferguson, both of Charlotte; and three sons, Pearl of Sunfield, and Leo and Vance of Charlotte.

The body is at the Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte.

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	he sum of \$157,594.00, or
	in the following respective
	For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1958
110,163.00	
8,909.00	
11,563.00	
18,350.00	
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